

Docket No.: 050389-0065

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of | : | Customer Number: 20277 |
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| Yoshiyuki YAMAMOTO, et al. | : | Confirmation Number: 2585 |
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| Application No.: 10/584,927 | : | Group Art Unit: 1793 |
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| Filed: July 05, 2006 | : | Examiner: Guinever S. GREGORIO |
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| For: SINGLE CRYSTAL DIAMOND | : | |

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2008, wherein a three-month shortened statutory period for response is set to expire on February 13, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.